(d) and (e) Under IAY, selection of beneficiaries is done by Gram Sabha from the list of eligible households, as per priorities fixed, restricting the number to the allotted target. Construction is required to be done by the beneficiaries.

Land reform assistance to Rajasthan

903. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the year-wise details of financial assistance the Central Government has given to the State Government of Rajasthan under Land Reform Assistance for the last three years;

(b) whether the State Government of Rajasthan has asked for an increase in this Central assistance; and

(c) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHAB M.K. PATIL): (a) Under the Land Reform Programme, this Ministry is monitoring the progress of distribution of ceiling surplus land, Govt. wasteland, Bhoodan land, alienation and restoration of tribal lands, conferment of tenancy rights and consolidation of land holdings. No financial assistance is provided by this Ministry to States/Union Territories under these programmes. However, two Centrally Sponsored Schemes *viz;* (i) Computerization of Land Records (CLR-100% funded) and (ii) Strengthening of Revenue Administration & Updating of Land Records (SRA&ULR - on 50:50 sharing basis) are under implementation in the State of Rajasthan. The position of funds released to the State of Rajasthan during the last three years under these Schemes are given below:-

Name of the Scheme	Funds released (Rs. in lakh)		
	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
1. CLR	888.34	313.67	-
2. SRA&ULR	-	25.00	-

(b) No request has been received from the State Government of Rajasthan for increase in central assistance under these two schemes.

(c) Does not arise.